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THE ST. JOSEPH'S HOSPITAL

established in 1876, twelve years ago, in connection with the Convent of St. Ann. This noble building stands in about an acre of ground fronting on Humboldt and Collinson streets. The grounds are tastefully laid off with shade trees, and the whole of the space in front given up to the cultivation of flowers, and nice, well-kept gravel walks lead throughout the grounds. A large portion of the grounds is cultivated as a kitchen garden, which furnishes a goodly and almost constant supply of fresh vegetables for the institution. These grounds are a very attractive and profitable feature to this well managed institution. The hospital building has a frontage of about 100 ft., with a new wing extending from the centre to rear, stone foundation, and is three stories high, with dormers, of solid brick construction, with party walls, &c. The interior is fitted off with every view to convenience and comfort; large well ventilated halls, reception rooms and other conveniences on the first floor, the upper being in separate rooms and general wards. Every attention possible has been paid to the sanitive code as regards space and ventilation, especially in the new wing, which will shortly be ready for occupation, when the hospital of St. Joseph may fairly lay claim to be the acme of perfection regarding modern hospital requirements, conveniences and accommodation, and a model of its class. One very pleasing feature in the new wing is the verandahs facing the south, which are intended for the reception of the pot flowers. This especial and most desirable attraction to the sick home receives every attention from the Sisters of St. Ann. To say that the wards, rooms and the premises generally are clean, well-kept and orderly in every respect would indeed be only repeating what is well known to almost every citizen. Here the care and touches of the tender hand of sympathising woman are observable on every side, such as they alone can give, and the whole aspect and air of the place wears an appearance of home-like cheerfulness not to be expected or scarcely to be found in an institution for the alleviation and cure of human sufferings. As a hospital, as an institution, the Hospital of St. Joseph is well worthy of being copied by other aspiring establishments of a similar kind. When the new wing is finished there will be accommodation for about 100 patients. That every care and attention is given by the good Sisters to the patients may be judged from the popularity of the institution. The sanitary and heating arrangements are modern and every precaution is taken in this respect to have things perfect as far as possible. Patients of all religious denominations are received. Some patients pay at the rate of from $10 to $15 a week; others, if they can't pay, are treated charitably. The hospital receives no aid whatever from the public purse of city or province, and may be said to be entirely self-supporting, a fact which in itself speaks volumes for the economical management of the good Sisters. Can out other institutions of a similar kind say as much? Owing to the great popularity of St. Joseph's Hospital the addition of the new wing became imperative. The leader is left to judge what kind of an institution St. Joseph's would be, how grand its proportions, its conveniencies and comforts and its charities, if it only had the $5000 a year accorded to others. To many the St. Joseph's may present objections on score of conscience sake; to a stranger, or a philantropist, or one capable of disrobing of his or her prejudice, the aspect is altogether different. The hospital, its well kept grounds, its clean, wholesome interior, the very look of comfort around, the kindly care of the Sisters, everything in fact point to the excellence of its management. No need now to ask why invalids prefer paying at St. Joseph's in preference to going to the Royal Hospital free! Distance has nothing whatever to do with it. It is solely to be attributed to the facts as here stated, which anyone can see with almost closed eyes. That the St. Joseph's Hospital is a credit to the City of Victoria, and its charitable citizens no one, even the most prejudiced, will deny. Were people less jealous and acted more up to the required standard of the Christian doctrine, Victoria might now have in progress an hospital institution to vie with St. Joseph's in the good work. The question is will it or can it ever be so? No! not till the ideas and feelings of our would-be philanthropists materially change. And well may we ask in all conscience when will that be?

HUNGARIAN MUSICAL CO.

An Excellent Performance by a Splendid Specialty Co.

A most enjoyable performance was listened to last night at the Victoria Theatre by a small audience. The programme opened with The Vindobona March, by Panhuas, and seldom is Victoria people treated to such a rendering of this piece. The attack was grand, the conductor having his band well in hand. An encore was vociferously demanded and responded to. The well known poet and peasant overture, by Suppe, was next given, and was equally well rendered. Strauss' Crown and Veil Waltz was simply delightful, making lovers of dancing, wish they were tripping the light fantastic. German songs, Potpourri, by Peters, one of the finest orchestral arrangements ever written, was a grand effort and was also encored. A pleasing diversion was here introduced by Messrs. Cole and Smithers, giving a wonderful exhibition of their agility on the high trapeze. They seem perfectly at home in the air, doing all their acts with a nimbleness and ease that is simply astonishing at such a height. They received a very warm reception. Herr Hugo Schmidt then gave his fatouite cornet solo, "The Devil's Tongue, Bravour Polka, composed by himself. There can be no doubt that Herr Schmidt is one the finest cornet soloists in the world to-day, and is second only to the great Levy, if indeed he is not equal. His playing was simply grand and certainly was the piece of the evening. He was forced to comply and to an encore, the applause being tremendous. Signor Carlo, the lightning oil painter, then gave an exhibition of painting a landscape in fifteen minutes; indeed the time actually taken was only twelve and a half minutes. The picture is pronounced by competent judges to be exceedingly good for the time taken to paint it.

The second part of the entertainment began with La Paloma, with variations for organ, by E. Rosner, which was a very fine exhibition of organ music. Mr. Rosner was deservedly encored, and gave a piano solo, showing he was as much at home in playing the piano as the organ. H. B. Heller, Jr., the prestidigitateur, gave a very entertaining performance of slight of hand tricks, flying cards, glass of water disappearing and reappearing, making omelettes in a hat, loading a pistol with bullets marked by persons in the audience so that they would know them again, having the pistol fired at him and catching the bullets on a plate. Returning them to those who had marked them they were found to be the original bullets. This evening Mr. Heller will expose one of the greatest illusions, known as the "Sword of the Maganese," passing a common sword through the body without injury. "Annie Laurie" with variations on the euphonium, was very well rendered and received an encore. The "Light Cavalry Overture" was very artistically given. First came the bugles sounding boot and saddle, and away in the distance were some other troops sounding their bugles; they were mounted and off at a sharp trot, then a swinging gallop and then they were thundering along at the charge. Everybody in the audience seemed to be carried away so perfect was the representation. This item was encored, but did not respond, as the hour was late. The Renz Galop, by Arnstein, followed by an exhibition of juggling, balancing, etc., by G. C. Smithers; brought one of the finest entertainments ever given in Victoria to a close. There is too much time lost between each item, owing to the stage having to be cleared so often for the different performers. Everybody was delighted and a much larger audience should be present to-night.

THE LIGHTNING ARTIST.

The landscape in oil painted by Signor Carlo last evening at the performance of the Hungarian Band was sold to-day for a good sum. Signor Carlo commenced and completed the painting in ten minutes and did the really creditable work in full view of the audience.

MATINEE.

Ed. Rosner's Hungarian Band, will give a matinee to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. An opportunity will be afforded the ladies and children to hear this wonderful combination which is the most perfect that ever visited this city.

SURREY NOTES.

The Magnificent Crops---Railway Developments in Progress, &c.

This has been a memorable year in New Westminster District. Not only has the embryo city of Vancouver made strides sufficient to rank her second in the sisterhood of British Columbia towns, but also Westminster has made such remarkable progress as even to astonish its most sanguine inhabitants, and clearly points out its important position for trade and facilities for developing business. Looking back over the present year none can view it with an unsatisfied eye. A large measure of this prosperity of course is due to the rivalry of the two mainland cities, the confidence the public have in an early railway development of the district, the pluck of the inhabitants, and the markets ever opening as new settlers come into the country, giving an unforseen extension to commerce. Capital, very true, we want to develop our rich resources, but even that can be dispensed with in a large measure if we get the right kind of men among us; men wide-awake and farseeing who will use to the best advantage the privileges a bountiful nature has placed within their reach. Very few indeed—none I may say at any distance—have any idea of what the Fraser valley really is or would be if developed. At present not five per cent of the available land is utilized. Most men have much more than they profitably use. People who declare there is no farming land in British Columbia, or no farming done should come up here and see our magnificent crops. Here you can see fields of oats not a few averaging over one hundred bushels to the acre, many more; hay from two to three tons, and root crops almost beyond the belief of those accustomed to soil where nature has been less kind.

Work in connection with the Westminster Southern railroad has commenced, A. J. Hill, C. E., the chief of the survey staff, is pushing the work with commendable energy. The contracts for grading, &c., are to be let in a few days. The company has advertised for 500 men, and it is expected in a short time large gangs of men will be distributed over the entire distance from Westminster to the boundary, enabling the company to fulfill their present intention of having it finished in about ten months.

Now that the Southwestern Fraser Valley is to have railroad facilities for a certainty more schemes are coming to the surface, pointing in the same direction. It is stated on very good authority that the C. P. R. is going to build from Vancouver to the boundary line to meet the "Seattle & Lake Shore" road. The Southern promises fine results to Westminster, but the last named city can never expect such returns from her railway scheme as would accrue to Vancouver were the C. P. R. scheme carried out. At present it is often stated (with some truth) "there is no farming land to back up the City of Vancouver." But let the Vancouver people cross the Fraser with a railroad and make connection with the American systems, and at the same time build a branch tapping the eastern part of the district, and Vancouver, as Surrey, where they would strike south with their main line, and it is almost beyond computation the benefit that Vancouver would gain. I wonder the press and people of that lively city are not more alive to their interests in that line, or perhaps they think as many do, that the C. P. R. must either control the Southern or build an independent line. It seems almost folly on the part of the managers of the Canadian to allow their main line to be tapped at so important a point as Westminster by a rival company and not be in a position to retaliate down the Sound should a war of rates cause with American companies.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

THE TREATY DEFEATED

Ratification of the Treaty Defeated by a Party Vote in the Senate, 30 to 27.

A Murderer Dies Repentant--Drowning Accidents--Madagascar Trouble.

Washington, Aug. 21—The ratification of the fisheries treaty was defeated in the Senate to-day by a strict party vote, 27 to 30.

THE FISHERY QUESTION.

Halifax, N. S., Aug. 11—The *Herald* says editorially in regard to the probable rejection of the fishery treaty: "Canada has no alternative but to resort to the stipulation of the convention of 1818. Trouble is sure to follow. The Gloucester fishermen finding their outrageous pretensions backed by one grert political party will contemptously disregard our fishery laws and regulations. The Canadian customs and fishery cruisers, enforcing these laws and regulations will be brought into unpleasant relations with the Yankee fishermen.

LARGE FIRE IN ST. JOHNS'.

St. John's, N. B., Aug. 21—The worst fire since the great disaster of 1879 visited this city last night. It began in a wood factory and destroyed twenty-five buildings. Loss $50,000.

GEN. HARRISON.

Noblesville, Ind., Aug. 21—General Harrison and party left this morning for Toledo where they will arrive at 4.30 this afternoon.

At 1.30 the train pulled into Peru where a crowd of nearly a thousand greeted the party. It was with great difficulty that the General made the waiting room of the depot, where he received the people. People were compelled to wait here nearly an hour and a half, and after shaking hands all round General Harrison sought the retirement of the railway offices.

Peru, Ind., Aug. 31—The first demonstration of any kind along Harrison's route occurred at Kokoma, fifty-four miles from Indianapolis, where a couple of hundred workmen and railroad employees had congregated, awaiting his arrival. They cheered the General and went to the rear platform and shook hands with him. The general made no address.

DIED REPENTENT.

New York, Aug. 21—Daniel Lyons was hanged in the yard of the Tombs at 7:15 this morning for the murder of athlete Joseph Quinn, July 5th, 1887. Lyons slept soundly last night and went to the scaffold cool and without a tremor, dying repentent.

A FAITHLESS STEWARD.

Guaymas, Mex., Aug. 21—Jules Clermont, an employee of the house of F. Aguilla, has been arrested on a charge of selling $20,000 worth of goods and appropriating the funds.

FATALLY INJURED.

Helena, Mont., Aug. 21—James McCarty and Donald McCormack were fatally injured by a premature explosion at Elk Horn mine, near here, yesterday.

SHIPMENT OF FRUIT.

San Francisco, Aug. 21—The Canadian Pacific road has successfully made a shipment of two carloads of California fresh fruits from this city to Winnipeg, Man. The shipment was made as an experiment and at the request of one of the merchants of Winnipeg. The local general agent of the company said this morning that his company would make a bid for some of the fruit shipments to St. Paul and Chicago next season.

TWO MEN DROWNED.

Troy, N. Y., Aug. 21—Thomas Leonard, Thomas E. McGrath, and M. Peter, residing at Fords, on their return from a visit to Auriesville this morning capsized while attempting to cross the Mohawk river in a row boat. Leonard and McGrath were drowned.

SHINGLE MILL BURNED.

Olympia, Aug. 21—A fire at 2:30 a. m. completely destroyed the shingle mill in this city owned by A. L. Drewey, together with 200,000 shingles and a quantity of material. The fire is supposed to have originated around the boiler. Drewey was obliged to leap from the wharf into the bay, so close was fire on him when he awoke. Insurance, $1000; loss, about $3000.

THE DEADLY REVOLVER.

Arbuckle, Cal., Aug. 21—While F. R. Glover, a railroad agent here, was loading a revolver in his room in the American Hotel last night, it was accidentally discharged, the ball lodging in the head of Frank Malloy, proprietor of the hotel, who was seated near Glover at the time. Malloy is fatally wounded and Glover is almost insane from grief, as the two were intimate friends.

WILL REPEL THE ITALIANS.

Walla Walla, W. T., Aug. 21—A telegram from Pascoe to-day says that the importation of 450 Italians from the east is expected on the train bound from Roslyn to take the place of laborers employed in coal mines there. A gentleman just from Roslyn says the miners are determined that the Italians shall not displace them, and are arming for the purpose of keeping out the would-be invaders. Several detectives are here with a large number of men armed with Winchesters, who will accompany the Italians to Roslyn.

STORM IN LOUISIANA.

New Orleans, La., Aug. 21—Passengers arriving by the Texas and Pacific railway from Shreveport report the damage by the great storm to buildings and crops as very heavy. Sugar houses and other buildings are blown down and crops damaged. A similar condition of affairs is reported from way points on the Magos road. A sugar house on Vagenie's magnolia plantation was demolished and sugar houses in the vicinity of Jeannette is reported badly damaged.

TROUBLE IN MADAGASCAR.

Paris, Aug. 21—The *Voltaire* says: "Devilers, resident general of the Franco-Madagascar, will hasten to that island, owing to news that the Hovas are preparing an expedition against the Sakalavas, whose security the Franco-Havo treaty guarantees. The Hovas have placed a price upon the heads of the Queen of Sakalavas and the King of Antankavas.

RUSSIAN WHEAT.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 21—Prospects for summer wheat are promising. The yield of wheat will reach the average.

THE SCOBIE MURDER.

San Francisco, Aug. 21—Private dispatches received this morning state that the New Zealand Government has voted to renew the contract with Spreckles Bros., for maintenance of the steamship line between San Francisco, New Zealand and Australia for one year.

DROWNING ACCIDENT.

Halifax, Aug. 20—Two young men, Gregory and Howland, went for a sail today in Halifax harbor. The boat was struck by a squall. Gregory could not swim and clung to the keel of the boat till saved. Howland tried to swim ashore, a distance of fifty yards, and was drowned.

LOSSES BY FIRE.

South Bondout, N. Y., Aug. 21—Nicklinger, Schmidt & Co.'s malt house and other property here was destroyed this morning; loss $100,000.

ORANGE FREE STATE.

London, Aug. 21—Judge Rutz has been nominated for President of the Orange Free State to succeed J. Brandt, deceased.

NANAIMO.

First Drawing of the Building Society Minor Hart.

Nanaimo, Aug. 21—The City Hall was pretty well filled last night to witness the initial drawing of the Nanaimo Building Society, which took place at 8:30. The secretary, W. K. Leighton, Esq., distributed the books to a large number of new members. B. H. Smith, President, E. B. Paul, B. A., James Abrams, Alfred Raper, of the Board of Directors, occupied the platform. The President explained the object of the society and its success from its inception and recommended the working men to avail themselves of its benefits. The meeting appointed Wm. Earl, Alderman W. E. Webb and W. H. Morton as drawing committee. Eighty-six buttons were placed in the box and made to revolve, and Alderman Hilbert's son was blindfolded and drew forth the first lucky number, 38, owned by E. B. Paul, and Charles Fiddick, and representing the first $2000.

Mr. Bramley, jr., was hurt in Southfield mine yesterday afternoon and was attended by Dr. Davis. He is expected to be soon around again.

RUNAWAYS.

Three Teams Tearing Through the Streets—Little Damage Done.

At 11 o'clock this morning a team of horses belonging to the Victoria Transfer Company ran away from the front of a joss house on Cormorant street. The horses made things lively on the way to the corner of Johnson St, running into another team of horses belonging to Joe Perry. They also started off and dumped a load of bricks on the streets. Perry tried to stop his team but was knocked down and slightly injured. The horses attached to the express wagon ran through Waddington alley and made for the corner of Government and Yates streets, where they were stopped before reaching Frank Campbell's verandah. Perry's horses ran along Wharf street and up Bastion street to Government street. They ran to Fort street and were stopped by the wagon striking a telephone post near the Scotch House. Whilst this was going on two horses attached to a hack decided to have a run. They bolted down Government street in a southerly direction but failed to turn at the junction of Government and Humboldt streets. Noticing Mr. Seeley's newly painted doors they dashed into the Arlington Hotel. The only damage done was the breaking of the doors and hurting the feelings of mine host Seeley who imagined that the flagship was in Esquimalt and the good old times returned when the blue jackets stormed his saloon. His expression can be better imagined than described when he saw two horses staring him in the face through the panels of the door. None of the horses were injured.

Kamloops Tournament.

The Victoria Amities will not compete in the tournament at Kamloops on Sept. 18th unless they are assisted by the citizens of Victoria. The nine would be only too willing to go if their expenses was assured. The fare to Kamloops would amount to $10 and expenses during their stay would be in the neighborhood of $20 each. The prizes offered will amount to $350, which would leave about $3 for each player should they win every game. Victoria takes great interest in their baseball teams and the members of the various clubs are at a disadvantage in not having proper grounds where they could receive benefits by charging an admission fee. Their past games were given freely and it would not be too much to ask this city to contribute towards their expenses should they be induced to play at Kamloops. Let a committee of citizens canvas the public to send our young men to the interior. It will advertise Victoria and they will most assuredly bring back the championship.

Old Steamer Isabel.

As announced in these columns a few days ago, Victoria parties are negotiating for the purchase of the steamer Isabel from her owners on the Sound. The intention is to overhaul and remodel her and put her once more into active service. The story in this morning's *Colonist* about her being built on the West coast of Vancouver Island, at Alberni, in fact is incorrect. The Isabel was built at Trahey's shipyard, Victoria harbor, in 1865, for Capt. Stamp, of the Hastings Mill, Burrard Inlet. Trahey was chief contractor and builder, Messrs. Andrew J. Smith and Wm. Morrison did the joiner work and Mc. Thos. Cavan cut the tree nails for her on Dr. Tolmie's farm. The well-known Captain Pamphlet was the first to take charge of her while Ben Madigan and Chas. Wilson (at present chief on the Olympian) were first and second engineers respectively. The first work done by the Isabel was to tow the wrecked bark Deleware, wrecked off the entrance of Esquimalt harbor to Moodyville, the vessel having been purchased by Moody & Co. The next vessel towed was the Montague Brodie, so well known to old timers. When Capt. Stamp went out of business the steamer was sold to Captains L. M. and E. A. Starr, who ran her for a time from Port Townsend to Victoria and Nanaimo. For several years she has been out of service. Her original cost is said to have been $30,000.

Always Ahead.

Eleven cases of new goods comprising nearly twenty-five dozen suits, shirts and one full lot of hats, just opened out at the Clothing Store, Yates street. 1m

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A DIFFICULT WORK.

It is said that on Thursday last an attempt was made to haul the pipe line of the Capilano water works across Burrard Inlet at the Narrows. The steel wire rope which was passed through the pipe snapped like a thread under the heavy pressure it was subjected to, and that without moving the pipes. A good deal of discussion on this undertaking is going on in this city, among men who understand and feel interested in that kind of work. One gentleman was heard to express the opinion the other day that the pipe could not be drawn across the Narrows and secured there. His way of laying it down would be this: In some little bay on the Inlet he would build a large float which would extend right across the Narrows. On this he would stretch a line of pipe and at slack water tow the float into position and drop the pipe overboard. The idea seems to be a good one, and may eventually have to be adopted. A great many on the other hand maintain that the scheme is not a feasible one. The opinions, however, of any number of Mr. PECKSNIFFS is unimportant now. What is wanted is a means of effectually laying the pipe across the Inlet and securing it there.

THE OTTAWA TEAM.

What is being done about sending a rifle team to Ottawa? Application was made to the City Council at last meeting for an appropriation to assist in defraying the expenses, but since then nothing has been heard about the matter. There is little time to waste in wrangling over it. If British Columbia is to be represented on the Dominion ranges this year the team should leave here before the end of the week. Surely some one will take the matter energetically in hand and see it carried to a successful issue. Victoria is especially interested in being represented at this meeting because it is to her advantage to keep up the interest of the militia department in the city, as well as the province generally. Victoria will be regarded as a sleepy hollow and its people as slow going "foggies" who take no interest in militia matters, and are therefore undeserving of any assistance or attention unless it is represented at Ottawa this year. THE TIMES feels deeply interested in this matter because it realizes the injury which a lack of energy may inflict on the province at this particular time.

THE MAINLAND CITIES FIGHT.

The Oregonian recently issued a Vancouver special edition which contained many palpable inaccuracies. The intention to ignore the truth and refuse justice to all other portions of the province was so conspicuous that the ire of the Columbian was aroused and it criticized the "special" very severely. As Victoria has been drawn into the matter we give the public the benefit of the Columbian's criticism:

"In puffing up Vancouver it was not necessary to give Port Moody another kick after it had been so long dead. Nor was it necessary to say so much about the waning(!) trade of Victoria. It was neither necessary nor truthful to say that "Vancouver was the only accessible harbor to and from which to ship traffic over the C. P. R. road;" nor was it anything short of snobbish selfishness to say that passengers from the east arriving at Vancouver must not be allowed to visit Victoria, but must be sent with all despatch to Seattle, Tacoma, Portland or San Francisco, as the case might be. "Vancouver is the only tide water harbor in B. C. accessible from the interior." The above quotation from the "special edition" is not true. Westminster is equally accessible as a harbor, for all purposes. "Vancouver is the natural trade centre of the province of B. C." This quotation from the "special edition" of the *Oregonian* is also untrue. Victoria has always been, and always will be the trade centre for the northwest coast of B. C. Westminster is the natural trade centre of the valley of the Frazer. Vancouver will no doubt have the privilege of buying all she requires in the shape of hay, beef, butter, vegetables and other products of the farm, for her own use, but as a distributing point she is too near the "jumping off place." The people of the old royal city have always been favorably inclined to any growth of population on their northern boundary, knowing that it would add to the wealth and stability of the whole district, and be a sort of suburban support on our extreme city limits; but when we see a spoon-fed, hot-house baby like Vancouver hiring foreign scribblers to decry every other place in B. C., we cannot help pitying such silly selfishness. We would recommend the following couplet as a motto for our ambitious salt-water sister. "Who noble ends by noble means obtains, that man (or place) is great indeed."

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KAMLOOPS AROUSED.

The people of Kamloops are fully alive to the temporary permit "swindle;" we were going to say—because the fraud perpetrated upon the province can scarcely be characterized as anything else. The practice of granting temporary certificates year after year to the same persons was, we submit, not sanctioned by the law and was therefore fradulent. No one knows this better than the government and its organs who have maintained a studied silence on this question since the TIMES first agitated it. If the TIMES was unjustly accusing the government it was an easy matter for either the Colonist or the Standard to say so, but knowing well the unrighteousness of the permit business they have condoned it by their silence and shown to the public what a low order of party hacks they are.

In the last issue of the Inland Sentinel, though by no means an opposition paper, it again, editorially, takes the government to task on this question. It says:

"The dissatisfaction caused by the issue of permits to certain candidates, for the position of school teacher, who failed to comply with the Act by securing provincial certificates at the recent examinations, is not likely to be allayed without some definite action on the part of the government to prevent a recurrence of the grievance."

"Fair Play," writing to the Sentinel on the subject, says:

"No one looking at the list of successful teachers at the late examinations can say that qualified teachers are scarce, still temporary certificates are granted. In some cases this has been done for two years in succession, although the applicants had not previously held high-graded certificates.

"Surely 'temporary certificate' is not an appropriate term for a certificate granted year after year. While a few were thus favored others who were better qualified were compelled to write examinations.

"This is not fair to the teaching profession. If the granting of these temporary certificates be not abolished, efficient teachers will be forced to follow some other vocation."

"Parent" writing to the same paper says:

"The interest of the public should be preferred to personal considerations."

Altogether the probabilities are that the temporary permit to teach will become a thing of the past when the House meets and the conduct of the minister of Education is enquired into.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The labor organizations of Montreal have nominated A. T. Lepine, publisher, as a candidate for Montreal East in the Commons. The Liberals are reported to be much disconcerted, as a third candidate it is supposed will injure their chances of success.

The Winnipeg Free Press, announces that the deal between the Manitoba Government and the Northern Pacific railway, recently consumated in New York between representatives of the province and of the company has been declared off, and the latter has retired from the province. The cause assigned is the objections which have unexpectedly cropped out from different sources. The government, it is now said, will build the projected lines and operate them in the interest of the province. Evidently Manitoba's railway troubles are not yet at an end.

Board of trade returns show that the exports from Great Britain to Canada have decreased 11½ per cent. during July, and 11½ per cent. during the past seven months. The decrease in largely in railroad iron and worsted fabrics. There are increases in horses, pig iron and bars. The imports from Canada have decreased 20½ per cent. during the month, and 18½ per cent. during the seven months. The decrease is largely in oxen, bulls, wheat, flour and timber. The total British exports to the colonies have increased from £36,000,000 in 1887 to £40,000,000 in 1888. Imports from the colonies have increased from £43,000,000 to £46,000,000.

BLUE LAWS OF CONNECTICUT.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—During the last session of the Legislature, when the Sunday bill was under discussion, the newly elected member for the city laid particular stress upon the Blue laws of Connecticut. He said should the Sunday bill be law the country would be put almost in the same position as the early day Connecticuters, when the Blue laws were in force. Now, Mr. Editor, Mr. Duck evidently did not know what the Blue laws were. I therefore give you the latest edition. I don't think Rev. Mr. Starr will claim any longer that they are a myth. Here they are:

The housewife shall in no case get the husband's shirts too blue in the washings thereof, as it is likely to promulgate contention in the family. Thou shalt not fishe and catch blue fish betweene Saturday and Monday and then go rounde and lye.

Thou shalt not make thy neighbor's eyes blue in a lyne fence dispute for less than a five pound fyne.

If thee can prove that thy neighbor blew a trombone at night to the disconvenience he shall be put in the stocks at ye stock yards.

Younge poets must cease inditing verses to their blue-eyed sweethearts. The readers of the colony papers are sicke of it.

Inhabitants in ye habit of taking their nipps out of blue glass tumblers are warned that there is nothing in it; and the "Deepe Blue Ocean" is somewhatte overdone.

The blue-mer costume is prohibited.

Persons going arounde blowing aboute their blue blood in an ungodly manner will be putte to sleep in ye pillory stuffed with woode. Bear witnesse that all blood is redde, and we will tolerate of no Blue Bloode.

Ye habit among mechanics of calling ye first day of ye working week blue Monday must be curtailed. It is a lazie syge.

Whosoever oversteppeth these Blue Laws shall be made to feel exceedynge blue. HARTFORD.

Joseph Rusan, Percy, writes:—"I was induced to try Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil for a lameness which troubled me for three or four years, and I found it the best article I ever tried. It has been a great blessing to me." *

TYPEWRITING FOR PRIZES.

THE REMINGTON'S SUPERIORITY PRACTICALLY CONCEDED.

F. E. McGurrin Takes the First Prize, Beating Miss M. E. Orr by Three Words—Miss M. C. Grant Captures Third Prize—Crowds of Interested Stenographers.

The speed of the several writing machines now in the market has been a subject of much controversy of late, and with a view of testing the matter the officers of the Metropolitan Stenographers' Association arranged a tournament, which took place at their rooms, No. 208 West Twenty-first street, last evening. Notices were sent to the various manufacturers of writing machines thirty days in advance. The contest was open to any operator on any machine.

Entries were made by "Caligraph," "Hammond" and Remington" operators, but at the last moment the two former machines withdrew. The unprecedented record made by the Remington in the Cincinnati test last week appears to have had a salutary effect on all rival machines. The Cincinnati contest was a match between Mr. Frank E. McGurrin, of Salt Lake City, (Remington operator), and Louis Traub, of Salt Lake City, (Caligraph operator), for $250 a side. The test occupied ninety minutes; during which time McGurrin wrote 8,709 words, an average of 97 words per minute, while Traub wrote 6,938 words, an average of 77 words per minute. McGurrin's feat on this occasion is the fastest on record.

A large audience, composed of the most prominent stenographers and operators of New York, assembled last evening to witness what they supposed would be a contest of machines, and considerable disappointment were announced.

Miss M. E. Orr, of New York City, who is undoubtedly the fastest operator in this vicinity, pushed McGurrin very closely for first place, and was beaten by only three-fifths of a word per minute. This is Miss Orr's first defeat. But she appears quite confident of regaining her laurels at the Toronto tournament for the world's championship on Aug. 18, when she will again meet McGurrin.

Last evening's test occupied five minutes, and after errors were deducted the jury announced the following awards:

McGurrin, 479 words—average, 95 4-5 words per minute.

Miss Orr, 476 words—average, 95 1-5 words per minute.

Miss Grant, 469 words—average 93 4-5 words per minute.

Mr. Myerson, 431 words—average 86 1-5 words per minute.

The prizes aggregated $40—$25 to first, $10 to second and $5 to third.

Considering the fact that the matter used in this test abounded in long and difficult words, the speed attained by all the operators is remarkable.

While the judges were examining the copies Mr. McGurrin gave an exhibition in writing blindfolded from dictation from a book taken at random from the Association library, and succeeded in writing 101 words in one minute. His best record for this class of work is 114½ words.

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THE RISING SUN.

Religion in Japan---A Lecture by Rev. Y. Hiraiwa.

A number of ladies and gentlemen assembled in the Pandora street Methodist Church last evening to listen to an address and some interesting statements regarding the progress of Christianity in Japan by Rev. Y. Hiraiwa. The meeting was opened with a hymn and prayer by Rev. J. W. Wadman. The lecturer was then introduced by Rev. J. E. Starr. After speaking of the political and educational movements in Japan in recent times, Rev. Mr. Hiraiwa made some interesting statements regarding the progress of Christianity in the empire. He said that what was wanted along with European and American civilization was the soul of civilization. Civilization and Christianization were not identical; yet he firmly believed that Christianity developed the best kind of civilization; and he thanked God that the Christian religion was now entering into the civilization of Japan. The religious movement began just as soon as the country was opened to foreigners 20 years ago.

THE PRESBYTERIANS WERE THE FIRST

in missionary work. In 1873 the Methodist Church in Canada sent its first missionaries, Drs. Cocbrane and McDonald; afterwards Drs. Ely and Meacham; and then others followed. Now every denomination was represented there. The missionaries met with peculiar difficulties; the first two decades were almost fruitless except as years of preparation. The first difficulty was that of national prejudice against Christianity, which had existed since the 16th century. Christian missionaries were then welcomed, and Jesuits from Spain and Portugal were allowed to preach in the open streets and temples and before governors and noblemen; they made two millions to six million proselytes within a short time. But, unfortunately for the cause of Christianity and the welfare of the nation, the leaders began to interfere with political affairs; and the government took despotic measures to drive all Christians from the country. Edicts against Christianity were posted on every street of every town and village, and these were only taken down fifteen years ago, two months before the Canadian Methodist missionaries came to Japan. Even after foreign professors began to be invited to Japan, missionaries were despised and looked upon as agents of some foreign powers. Twenty-three years ago there was no Protestant Christian, and sixteen years ago there was no native church. The first organized was a Presbyterian church with sixteen members. There were only 5000 or 6000 professing Christians in Japan eight years ago; now there were about 30,000.

THE CANADIAN METHODIST MISSION

had now 8 Canadian missionaries, 7 Canadian lady missionaries, 5 young men who had gone to Japan on self-sustaining lines. As the result of the work there were now 1300 members, and 10 churches organized. Four of these churches were in Tokio, a city ten miles square and having a population of 1,040,000. Two of the churches were self-supporting and the others partially so. When the membership of a church numbered 12 adults they paid current expenses, including rent, fuel, oil, etc; when there were 20 members they also paid one-twelfth of the preacher's salary; 40 members, one sixth; 80 members, one-third, and 160 members the whole amount. The church had 6 regularly ordained native missionaries, 9 probationers and 9 evangelists, the last being young men preparing for the work and filling appointments until taken out as probationers to serve for four years as such. The probationers for the ministry were good, promising young men. The Methodist church had two schools in Tokio, the one for boys and young men, of whom 900 had been enrolled and there were 400 in attendance; and the other for girls and young ladies. These schools were in a

MOST SUCCESSFUL AND HOPEFUL

condition; they had not been in existence more than 3½ years, yet had needed enlargement twice. In the girls' school there were 245 in daily attendance. Mrs. Large, formerly Miss Spencer, who taught in Winnipeg a few years ago, was in charge. The students of the two institutions included a daughter of the Prime Minister, and sons and daughters of statesmen and others of the better classes. The object of the schools was not simply to give secular education, because this could be had very well in the national schools, but Christian education. Last November there was a mighty revival in the two schools; more than 50 boys and 75 girls were converted within a week; the revival spread throughout Tokio and to distant places of the empire. Mr. Hiraiwa mentioned an enterprise which he had undertaken, of building a church in connection with the schools, the cost to be $8,000. The Mission Board had promised $4,000; he had secured $1,375 by subscription in Canada, and wished to make this amount $2,000, proposing to raise the remaining $2,000 in Japan. In conclusion Mr. Hiraiwa gave a short account of

HIS OWN RELIGIOUS LIFE.

He said he had been a very strong anti-foreign spirit; but his views became broadened through the reading of English books. Still he could not but share the anti-Christian spirit of his countrymen. He was not a believer in religion and did not worship idols; but was one of the followers of Confucius, not recognizing any personal superior being, and regarding the doctrine of a future life, and the motives of hope of reward and fear of punisment as injurious. The study of western sciences increased his hatred of religion as he could not believe in the miraculous. Through discussions with his fellow students in the Imperial University, he was led to study the nature of Christianity for the purpose of refuting it. Rev. Dr. Cochrane explained the Bible to him for six months while he went as a secret spy to find out the weakness of Christianity; but he became convinced that he was wrong. Having been converted through Dr. Cochrane's instrumentality, he was baptized in 1875. Christianity was for some time in his head only, not in his heart. Subsequently he went into a professorship of natural sciences in one of the national colleges. He had been preaching the Gospel as an ordinary minister for the last seven and a half years. He believed that the conversion of Japan meant the conversion of a large part of Asia, as the Gospel would be preached in China and India by many Japanese missionaries. A vote of thanks was tendered the lecturer at the conclusion of his address.

The Rock on which many a constitution goes to pieces is Dyspepsia. The loss of vigor which this disease involves, the maladies which accompany it, or which are aggravated by it, the mental despondency which it entails, are terribly exhaustive of vital stamina. Its true specific is Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure, which likewise overcomes bilious maladies, female ailments, and those coupled with impurity of the blood. *

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THROUGH CROW'S NEST

Departure of the Mounted Police—Arrival at McLeod—Personals.

On the 7th ult. Troop D, of the Northwest Mounted Police, left Kootenay (Major Steele in command) for MacLeod, via Crow's Nest Pass. The trip was made successfully in eight days to Lee's Lake, where an outfit of wagons from E Troop met them and conveyed their baggage to MacLeod. The trip was a very successful one, and proves that the pass can be utilized for moving a large military organization. The transport consisted of about 80 pack animals, and was composed of the Mounted Police train and two trains belonging to Messrs. Galbraith Bros.

Major Steele deserves great praise for the successful and satisfactory termination of what at one time appeared a very difficult undertaking, viz, the Indian trouble. The people of Kootenay regret the departure of the troop and the loss of a valued officer, who won for himself the respect and esteem of all.

Mr. Galbraith, who had personal supervision of the transportation, returns at once to Kootenay. Col Herchimer, who also accompanied the troop, returns to Calgary. VIATOR.

August 16, 1888.

CANADIAN NEWS.

Latest Happenings in the Eastern Provinces.

General Middleton will leave for the west on the 27th.

Fred Turcotte, of the wholesale millinery firm of Turcotte & Co., Montreal, was drowned while bathing.

The corner stone of a new city hall, Halifax, to cost $150,000, was laid by Mayor O'Mullen on Saturday.

Athanaz Vallencourt, aged fifty, was drowned by his boat capsizing while fishing in Berthier, Quebec, on Saturday.

Mrs Alexander Morrison, wife of a ship owner at Stornoway, Scotland, has left $5,000 to Dalhousie College, to establish a Mackenzie bursary.

Sir John Macdonald will leave Dalhousie for Halifax on the 19th inst., and will preside over the opening of the Halifax exhibition and be the guest of Mr. Kenny, M. P.

Mackenzie Bowell before leaving for the west, denies the report of his engagement to Mrs. Stephenson, of Napanee, and says that the lady is down sick over the business.

Six new postal cars for service between Montreal, Toronto and Vancouver, are being built by the Canadian Pacific Railway. When finished they will be very handsome.

A young lad named Albert Fegault, of Hull, Que., who was amusing himself with other lads on the banks of the Ottawa river above the Chaudiere Falls, fell into the water and was swept over the falls. The body of a young man named Bethune, who was drowned some years ago in a similar manner, was never discovered.

Rev. Dr. Wild, of Toronto, places the beginning of the millenium at about the year 1935. He states the belief that it will be a period of progression towards perfection, during which time deaths will nearly, and births entirely cease.

An Explanation

What is this "nervous trouble" with which so many seem now to be afflicted? If you will remember a few years ago the word Malaria was comparatively unknown—to-day it is as common as any word in the English language, yet this word covers only the meaning of another word used by our forefathers in times past. So it is with nervous diseases, as they and Malaria are intended to cover what our grandfathers called Biliousness, and all are caused by troubles that arise from a diseased condition of the Liver which in performing its functions finding it cannot dispose of the bile through the ordinary channel is compelled to pass it off through the system, causing nervous troubles, Malaria, Bilious Fever, etc. You who are suffering can well appreciate a cure. We recommend Green's August Flower. Its cures are marvelous. *

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MUNICIPAL.

A BY-LAW

To Provide for the Acquisition and Maintenance of a Public Library.

WHEREAS, THE SUBSCRIBERS OF THE Mechanics' Literary Institute heretofore established and maintained at Victoria, have resolved to hand over the Library of that institute to the City Council as a free, or partially free, circulating library.

And, whereas, it is expedient to accept the offer contained in the said resolution, and establish and maintain a public and free, or partially free, library, therefore

Be it enacted by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. This By-Law may be cited as the City Library By-Law, 1888.

2. It shall be lawful for the Council to accept and take over, on behalf of the Corporation, the library of the Mechanics' Literary Institute aforesaid, as a free, or partially free, circulating library, and to assume and pay any liabilities in connection therewith, not exceeding in the whole the sum of $450.

3. It shall be lawful for the Council to establish, and maintain a Public, Free or partially Free Library, of which the Library accepted and taken over shall be the nucleus; to obtain suitable premises therefor, and from time to time to accept or purchase such additions thereto, and such furniture as the Council may deem expedient; and to appoint a competent person to be City Librarian at such a salary as the Council shall fix, provided that the total expenditure under the authority of this section shall not exceed the sum of $1,200.00 in any one year.

4. The Council shall have power to make such rules and regulations from time to time for the management and use of the said Library, and for defining the duties of the City Librarian as they shall deem expedient.

5. This By-Law shall not be finally passed until the assent of the Electors of the City has been obtained, in conformity with the provisions in respect of By-Laws for creating debts.

Passed the Municipal Council the 18th day of July, A. D., 1888.

Received the assent of the Ratepayers the 31st day of July, A. D., 1888.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this first day of August, A. D., 1888.

[L.S.] JOHN GRANT, Mayor.

JAMES D. ROBINSON, C. M. C.

A BY-LAW

To enable the Corporation of the City of Victoria to raise the sum of $20,000 for Water Works Purposes.

WHEREAS IT IS EXPEDIENT TO RAISE a sum of money for the purpose of purchasing Cast Iron Pipes for the distribution of water throughout the City and for laying the same and other water pipes within the City.

AND, WHEREAS, for the purposes aforesaid it is intended to raise by way of loan upon the credit of the said City the sum of $20,000.

AND, WHEREAS, it will require the sum of $1,266.00 to be raised annually by special rate for paying the debt intended to be hereby created and the interest thereon.

And, Whereas, the amount of the whole rateable property of the said Corporation according to the last revised Assessment Roll is $5,600,000.

And, Whereas, for paying the interest and creating an equal yearly sinking fund for paying the principal of the said debt intended to be hereby created according to the Municipality Act, 1881, an annual special rate of 1-44 of one per cent. on the dollar will be required.

And, Whereas, it is intended to reduce the general rate so that the said special rate shall not increase the total rate of taxation.

Be it therefore enacted by the Mayor and Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, as follows:—

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the said City to raise by way of loan from any person or persons, or body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of $20,000.00, and to cause the same to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the said Corporation for that purpose and with the object hereinbefore recited.

2. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause any number of debentures to be made for such sums of money as may be required either in currency or in sterling money not less than $500.00, or the sterling equivalent of that sum, and each and all such debentures shall be sealed with the common seal of the said Corporation and signed by the Mayor.

3. The said debentures shall be made payable in forty years from the date hereinafter mentioned for this by-law to take effect at the office of the Treasurer of the said Corporation at the City Hall, Victoria, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of the interest.

4. The said debentures shall bear interest at the rate of five per cent. per annum from the date thereof which interest shall be payable half yearly at the office of the said Treasurer.

5. For the purpose of forming a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures and the interest to become due thereon an equal special rate of 1-44 of one per cent. on the dollar shall in addition to all other rates be raised, levied and collected in each year upon all rateable property within the said City of Victoria during the continuance of the said debentures or any of them.

6. It shall be lawful for the said Corporation from time to time to re-purchase any of the said debentures at such price as shall in each case be mutually agreed upon and all debentures so re-purchased shall be forthwith cancelled and no re-issue of debentures or any debentures shall be made in consequence of such re-purchase.

7. This by-law shall before the final passing thereof receive the assent of the electors of the said Corporation in the manner provided by the Municipal Act, 1881, and shall take effect on the 25th day of August, 1888.

8. This by-law may be cited as "Water Works Loan By-Law, 1888."

Passed the Municipal Council the 18th day of July, A. D. 1888.

Received the assent of the Ratepayers the 31st day of July, A. D., 1888.

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MUNICIPAL.

A BY-LAW

To enable the Corporation of the City of Victoria to raise the sum of $30,000 for Sewerage Purposes.

WHEREAS IT IS EXPEDIENT TO RAISE a sum of money for the purpose of constructing a Brick Sewer along Johnson street in the said City, between Blanchard street and Victoria harbor, and such other sewers as it may be necessary to construct along such streets as intersect Johnson street.

And, Whereas, for the purposes aforesaid it is intended to raise by way of loan upon the credit of the said City the sum of $30,000.

And, Whereas, it will require the sum of $1,898 to be raised annually by special rate for paying the debt intended to be hereby created and the interest thereon.

And, Whereas, the amount of the whole rateable property of the said Corporation according to the last revised Assessment Roll is $5,600,000.

And, Whereas, for paying the interest and creating an equal yearly sinking fund for paying the principal of the said debt intended to be hereby created according to the Municipality Act, 1881 an annual special rate of 1-29 of one per cent. on the dollar will be required.

And, Whereas, it is intended to reduce the general rate so that the said special rate shall not increase the total rate of taxation.

Be it therefore enacted by the Mayor and Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, as follows:—

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the said City to raise by way of loan from any person or persons, or body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned, a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of $30,000, and to cause the same to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the said Corporation for the purpose and with the object hereinbefore recited.

2. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause any number of debentures to be made for such sums of money as may be required either in currency or in sterling money not less than $500, or the sterling equivalent of that sum, and each and all such debentures shall be sealed with the common seal of the said Corporation and signed by the Mayor.

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7. The Corporation do not bind themselves to accept any tender.

JAMES D. ROBINSON, C. M. C.

City Hall, Victoria, 2 August, 1888 au2

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NOTICE.

"Land Registry Ordinance, 1870."

Part of Lot No. 180, in the City of Victoria.

A CERTIFICATE OF INDEFEASIBLE Title to the above mentioned part of said Lot, will be issued to Felix Loisirp, on the 29th day of September, 1888, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the undersigned, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said part of said Lot or some portion thereof.

CHAS. JAS. LEGGATT, Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office, Victoria, 28th June, 1888. jo28 3m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, 30 days after date, we intend making application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 5,000 acres of land, situate on Queen Charlotte Island, and described as follows:—

Commencing at a post on the south side of Skidegate Bay, nearly opposite the land owned by the Queen Charlotte Coal Co.; thence south 160 chains; thence east 240 chains; thence north 240 chains, more or less, to the south shore of Skidegate Bay; thence following the shore line of the Bay in a westerly direction to the point of commencement.

JAMES FELL, B. H. JOHN.
R. P. RITHET, HY. MOSS,
J. FREDK. FELL, JNO. IRVING,
H. A. S. MORLEY, JAMES DEANS.

Victoria, 19th June, 1888. jy-13

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J. R. ANDERSON, Liquidator.

Victoria, B. C., Cor. Wharf and Fort Sts. 3rd May, 1888. my5 tf

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

MRS. VIGOR HAS REMOVED HER Fancy and Dry Goods business from the corner of Pembroke and Douglas Streets, to the corner of Chatham and Douglas Streets, where she will be pleased to have a continuance of the patronage so kindly bestowed upon her formerly. jy21 1m

DISSOLUTION.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXisting between Jno. Teague, Jr., and Robt. Atwood, under the firm name of R. ATWOOD & CO., Druggists, Yates St., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

R. ATWOOD,
J. TEAGUE, JR.

The business will in future be conducted by J. Teague, Jr., who will collect all accounts, and pay all indebtedness of the late firm. While thanking the public for the liberal patronage extended to Atwood & Co., I beg to solicit a continuance of the same. The services of Mr. Kellogg, a competent druggist have been secured to take charge of the dispensing department.

J. TEAGUE, JR.,
No 65 Yates Street.

Victoria, July 27, 1888. jy27 1m

"Land Registry Ordinance, 1870."

Subdivision No. 2, of Lot 5, of Suburban Lot No. 11, Esquimalt District.

A CERTIFICATE OF INDEFEASIBLE Title to the above mentioned Subdivision will be issued to William Charles White, on the 16th of November, 1888, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the undersigned, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said subdivision or some portion thereof.

CHAS. J. LEGGATT, Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office, Victoria, 16th August, 1888. aug16 2m

DOMINION GOVERNMENT

SAVINGS BANK.

DEPOSITORS ARE REQUESTED TO PRESent their Pass Books at the office on Government street for insertion of the accrued interest at the 30th June 1888.

JOHN GRAHAM, Assistant Receiver General.

Victoria Aug 2nd 1888. au2-1m

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Ar Pt. Townsend	2.35 p.m.	Ar Seattle	12.00 p.m.
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Per Steamer Alaskan from Puget Sound—H Bowlin, T W Hall, Mrs West and three sons, W Sohl and wife, R B Sinclair, J Hayes, Mrs M Dory, E F Ferdner, A Pickering, F Looney, R Carr, C D Chamberlain, W M Gregg, J Sucetti, Mrs Mohl, M G Halt, wife and two girls, J A Wilkes, F J Culver, W Roffner, A Brown, L D Williams, C Green, M S Dillabough, S C Holmes, H W Bartlett and wife, H M Gidden, S D Harmon, E Dennis, F Dinsey, C Pickering, Mrs Brady, W Steward, H McElroy, T J Fielding, B Hoffman, A Cartleton, N A Martin and wife, J Robats, T P Magee, W W Brownell and wife, E Langley, G Leiser, T Hill and wife, U G Ludlow, G C Wharton, Mrs Fletcher, S Ludlow, M Pinkerinv, J Highan, C Gordon, J Patterson T Gallicher, W Welch Mrs Jackson, A Hill, Miss Sullivan, E E Brownell, E B Lowe and wife.

Per steamer Yosemite from Vancouver—Mrs W H Hethers, Miss Withrow, Mrs Rogers, Two Sisters St. Anne, Mrs Baker, Mr Pain, W H Clark, W Lowen, J D Pemberton jr, N Mitchell, jr, G Booth, J Turner, T Carr, J Pangh, W Keith, C H Grogo, D H O'Keefe, J R Miller, C A Lombard, E Lince.

Consignees.

Per Str. Alaskan from the Sound yesterday—J Wilson, W Gardner & Co, B J Pitts, Langley & Co, A & W Wilson, G C Canfield, J H Pace, J & A Clearihue, Mrs McDonald, E G Prior, A Lewis & Co, N Portman, S Leiser.

By the Yosemite from New Westminster—Brackman & Ker, Marvin & T, H B Co, W Hawthorn, A W Miller, Dom Exp Co, Geo Tulich, G Vienna, Wong Wo, Hing Kee, Geo Hyde, W H Miall, Baker & Son, Captkin Devereaux, W J McMillan, W R & Co, F J Papet, W H Adams, R Beauchamp.

CITY AND PROVINCE.

—Ice Cream at Steitz's. *

—Kurtz's Jubilee Cigars are now ready.

—Please leave your orders for preserving fruits at FELL & Co, Fort street. *

—The sale of furniture at the St. Nicholas will be held to morrow morning at 11 o'clock.

—Boys Oxfords at cost also Misses slippers at the People's Boot and Shoe Store. *

—Tomb and Headstones, Monuments, in Marble, imported and local Granite, Mantle pieces and Wash Stands in Marble, artistically executed, and at reasonable rates, at George Rudge's Marble Works, Douglas street, Victoria. Call and see specimens of work. *

—The contract for clearing the line of the Westminster Southern railway to the boundary, awarded to Mr. Leamy, extends over 24 miles and is 300 acres in extent.

—Don't fill the system with quinine, to prevent or cure Fever or Ague. Ayer's Ague Cure is the specific for this disease, and leaves no poisons to produce dizziness, deafness, headache, or other disorders. *

The recent coal contracts investigations in Toronto revealed the fact that Patrick Burns had been paid for about one thousand tons of coal never delivered to the city.

—We are pleased to learn that the French Hotel, under the management of Mr. E. Escalet, has already proved a success. Last night the dining room was so crowded that several guests had to await their turns for dinner. *

—The Abell-Mackie *crim. con.* suit is the sole topic of conversation in certain circles in Toronto. Some very endearing letters from Abell to Mrs. Mackie are printed, but the friends of both parties do not believe their guilt. Mr. and Mrs. Mackie are living apart.

—**Ross & Ceperley, Real Estate and Insurance. C. P. R. Co.'s lots for sale; correspondence solicited. P. O. Block, Hastings street, Vancouver, B. C.** *

—Charles Innes, editor of the *Northern Chronicle*, of Inverness, Scotland, is visiting Canada with the view of gathering information about the Crofters who have settled here. He will write letters to his paper and the Edinburgh *Scotsman*.

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First Annual Picnic.

The Young People's Association of St. Andrew's church will hold its first annual picnic on Saturday next, when an excursion will be made on the E. & N. railroad to Koksilah river. The trip will be a delightful one, and no doubt many besides the young people will avail themselves of the opportunity to view the unrivalled scenery of the island. The price of tickets is very low, only $1 for adults.

Clearance Sale.

A discount boot and shoe sale is now on at the People's Boot and Shoe Store at 47 Johnson street. Bargains for everybody. *

Marine Notes.

The three masted schooner Dolbar, loaded with lumber from the Royal City Planing Mills, arrived in Royal Roads Sunday night. She was towed down by the steamer Clara W. Young in 13 hours. The schooner is bound for Mexico.

Splendid Wheat.

Mr. M. Lumby has given us a sample of wheat cut green in the famous Okanagan valley. In appearance it cannot be beaten anywhere, and even the celebrated Manitoba Hard does not excel it in size of head, plumpness of grain, or color.

Social this Evening.

A social will be held in the Gorge Road church this evening at 8 o'clock, at which a very pleasant time may be expected. A good programme has been prepared. Some of the best musical talent of the city will take part.

The Union Mine.

It is reported that F. D. Little of the Wellington collieries, will be manager of the Union mine near Comox. Mr. Little has been engaged for the past fifteen years in the Wellington mines and is a gentleman well qualified to fill the position of manager of the new mine.

H. M. S. Swiftsure.

Henry Gayden received a letter on Monday from his nephew, a young man on board the H. M. S. Swiftsure. The flagship was at Rio Janeiro on Dominion Day and sailed from that port July 5th. She will call at Valparaiso and other southern ports on the way to Esquimalt.

At Cedar Hill.

An entertainment will be held at Cedar Hill school-house on Friday, August 24th, at 8 p. m. Admission including refreshments 50 cents. Busses will leave the Clarence, Douglas street, and Ward's corner, Quadra street, at 7 p. m. sharp. Fare for the round trip only 25 cents.

Death of a Judge.

Richard Ashbury Jones, chief justice of the district court of the United States for Washington Territory, died at his residence in Seattle, on Sunday morning. His death was sudden and unexpected. Judge Jones was a man of noble character, a lawyer of splendid attainments and a just judge. He had been a resident of Washington territory but a short time; yet long enough to gain the confidence, respect and admiration of the people.

Weddings.

One of those interesting ceremonies will take place in the Methodist church on morrow evening. The young people are well known and popular.

In Victoria West there will also be the sound of marriage bells to-morrow evening. A young man from Manitoba has come to take one of our fair daughters away to the prairie country.

Another is on the *tapis* for the last of this month. The young gentleman is well-known in railway circles and the young lady—well the TIMES was told not to say anything about it.

She Had'nt Ten Husbands.

Suit has been begun by Mrs. Hoffensnitz against the Tacoma *Ledger*, claiming $10,000 damages, for libel. Some days ago the *Ledger* published an item to the effect that Mrs. Hoffensnitz had just been divorced from her tenth husband, and had been allowed to take the name of her fourth husband. The woman had been granted a divorce, but she claimed in a letter to the *Ledger*, a day or so after the publication, that it was only her second husband, and she had been allowed to take the name of her first husband because she had several children to him, while she had none to the other.

Vancouver "World."

The *World* will be the name of the new evening paper that will be issued in Vancouver in the course of a few weeks. Mr. J. C. McLagan, formerly of the TIMES, has now perfected all the arrangements and upon the arrival of the plant will engage with characteristic ardor in the enterprise, which—granting that the field is large enough—is bound to be a success. Mr. J. M. O'Brien, of the *Colonist*, will join Mr. McLagan in the publication of the *World*, which is another guarantee that the new journal will be all that the public expect it be. The political complexion of the paper is not announced as yet, but as both gentlemen are pronounced Liberals, it is probable it will advocate the cause of the Liberal party.

The Hot Springs.

The following were the arrivals for last week: Miss O Schlisser, Miss M Gurney, Miss S Gurney, Miss Price, Col Begley, England; Wm Butmer, Hope; Wm Cochrane, W Fortune, Geo Corbet, Kamloops; Mrs Clarke, T Stephenson, F M Hart, F McLennan, F W Clarke, John Campbell, R V Winch and wife, Robt Pearson, J M Browning, Mrs Browning, Miss Colpas, Vancouver; W H Ellis, Mrs Ellis, Miss Withrow, Miss S M Cummings, L Hall, Jas Bakewell, Capt McAllister, M Lopetecki and wife, J N Henderson, Mr and Mrs Piercy, Victoria; A Brown, Donald; H B Turner, Washington; Edward Van Ingen, McLane Van Ingen, Brooklyn; I O'Halloran, J C Armstrong, Westminster; M J Armstrong, Montreal.

The weather is charming and cool and there is good fishing.

A Raise in Rates.

It is learned from good authority that a slight raise of rates is likely to made on all transcontinental roads on and after September 1st. In this territory the C. P. R. is on the same footing as the American lines. On San Francisco business it has a differential rate on east bound freight but no other. The advantage given to the C. P. R. on first-class freight from San Francisco east is as follows: To New York, 30 cents per hundred pounds; to Buffalo, 27 cents per 100 lbs.; to Detroit, 26 cents per 100 lbs.; to Chicago and Milwaukie, 29 cents per 100 lbs; to St. Paul and Minneapolis, 15 cents per 100 lb. The Northern Pacific has the same differential rate as the C. P. R. on San Francisco freight going to St. Paul and Minneapolis, but on no other.

—Oysters and Turtles at Poodle Dog.

OUR TOWN MAJOR.

Second Epistle to Peter—Moonlight Excursion—Bride's Cake.

Will the editor of THE TIMES please tell honest "Peter" that The Major hopes Wilson Bros. have completely sat on him, so that not all the hydraulic pressure in the water works will raise him up again. Pay the bill and be done with it. Now, Peter, how often do you have the accounts of the present contractors for iron work rendered and audited? Who the dickens is to know how many valves is supplied, how many *pounds* of pipe? and a host of other things that The Major would like to know the true inwardness of. How often are these accounts paid? The Major wants this little bit of information from honest Peter; he has heard that he is honest, and as things go that's a great recommendation in the Major's eyes, which are very restless eyes and insist on having a peep into every hole and corner of our great city—especially, where the water goes, and the leakage, and other little things, not much to look at but great to think about. And, Peter, you and he being honest, must be honest in every thing. The fact is the poor Major has a failing—he takes a great deal of whiskey in his water; so the latter being the least what little he has of it he likes it good. By the by, Peter, how do you weigh the iron piping and other things? Do you want a tally clerk; if so give the Major a show. Now, let us understand each other at the outset. The people's money must not be lost by leakage. The Major is very persistent and wishes to know little things now and then, and he will know them, you bet. So don't get on your ear; it's no use. Others have tried that little game on The Major, but the old chap won't be sat on. So please, if you can spare time from picking the larger animalcule out of the water or stopping up a leakage, just answer the few innocent queries, all in a bunch if you like, or seriatum, it doesn't matter a rap which. Only the answers must be had, somehow.

"Meet me by moonlight alone," or else get up an excursion; the moon will soon be gone, and for a while there will be no chance of mooning. A good many are at it day and night. It must be a nice and healthy exercise; the Major must try his hand at it, and borrow a letter carriers' helmet for the occasion. By the way, Mrs. Crawford—you all know her, don't you?—went mooning the other night, and the *Colonist* man left his work at his busiest time to see her off. The innocent moon shone down on an innocent, over-confiding pair, and exclaimed: "When shall we three meet again." Just as a policeman came round the corner they vamoused. Recollect, dear reader, that the "mooning" season is on. She knew it, being suspicious, and with the result of the "professor's moonlight excursion" before her, as a proper female, she objected to the protection of the *Colonist* man. Perfectly right.

Only just fancy the Major had a piece of bride cake sent him all the way from Nanaimo, wherever that may be, he doesn't know—it must be a long way off. Only just think of the old fellow's fame reaching up so far. Why, its for all the world like a romance. It only goes to prove how the Major is appreciated and read all over. Some sheets, which require mangling, have letters from Paris or London. But the Major will have letters from the top of the mountains of the moon—by next mail, that will put the "kybosh" on the old man. Parisian letters wrote in Victoria are very interesting.

THE TOWN MAJOR.

THE MENZIES CASE.

The Prisoner on His Trial Before Mr. Justice Gray.

W.R Menzies was arraigned this morning in the Supreme Court on the charge of procuring a girl under 21 years of age to have carnal dealings with a Chinaman named Ah Chee. Deputy Attorney General P. E. Irving appeared for the prosecution on behalf of the Crown. Mr. Thornton Fell appeared to assist in the prosecution. M. W. T. Drake, Q. C., assisted by J. P. Walls, defended Menzies.

Mr. Irving opened the case for the prosecution explaining the nature of the charge.

Mr. Drake asked that all witnesses be ordered out of court.

Ah Chee was the first witness called. Wing, another Chinaman, was sworn as interpreter.

After Ah Chee's examination by the Deputy-Attorney-General he was cross-examined by Mr. Drake.

His Lordship during the time the evidence was in progress, said the testimony given by the Chinese was a mockery of justice. The papers before the court were the most important evidence. His Lordship said he was very glad the Christian clergymen had nothing to do with them. It was in the interest of justice to have this matter sifted.

At 2:15 o'clock the court adjourned for one hour.

The case is still in progress and will probably be continued until late this evening.

SPEEDY TRIAL.

(Before Hon. Justice Gray.)

Geo. Sanderson was tried this morning under the Speedy Trials Act with feloniously wounding Henry Farrell. Prisoner pleaded not guilty. Evidence was given by Farrell, Malcolm, McGibbon, Dr. F. W. Hall, Sergt. Sheppard and Martin Manning. The prisoner was found guilty and sentenced to imprisonment for six months.

Marine Notes.

Steamer Princess Louise will return on Friday next.

The bark Cambrian Chieftain arrived in from Newcastle, New South Wales, yesterday morning, with a cargo of 2063 tons of coal. On June 12th she put in at the Pierson Islands. Three boats came off and they were supplied with papers. They reported that there were 400 people on the islands, and that all were in good health. On July 25th the Cambrian Chieftain spoke the Lord Raglan in latitude 42 deg. north and longitude 152 deg. west.

The present master of the City of Peking, Capt. Seabury, is one of the oldest employes in the Pacific Mail service, and is one of the best and most reliable captains sailing out of port. About nine years ago he was in command of the City of Panama, which caught fire on her trip from Victoria to San Francisco. The captain led the way into the most dangerous positions on the vessel, and encouraged the men by his example, and by his herculean efforts subdued the flames and brought the steamer with her passengers safely into port.

The Southern Pacific company has entered into a contract with Cramp & Sons, of Philadelphia, for the construction of a new steamer to take the place of the Eureka, which was lost on the Atlantic some months ago. The new steamer will have triple expansion engines, and will be fitted up with all modern improvements. She is to be 338 feet long, 42 feet 8 inches beam, with a depth of hold of 31 feet 8 inches. She will have a gross tonnage of 5331 register.

Ill-fitting boots and shoes cause corns. Holloway's Corn Cure is the article to use. Get a bottle at once and cure your corns. *

The Sale of Seal Skins.

Marshall Aikens says concerning the sale of seal skins at Sitka, about which so much has been written of late. "I recommended that these skins be sold at Tacoma, and the court so ordered. The night before I was to leave to make the sale, orders were received from the court to sell them at Sitka instead. They brought there only $3, when they would have brought $6 in Tacoma, and the government lost thereby over $10,000. There was undoubtedly some collusion to bring about this change of the place of sale and a combination formed by which Victoria parties profited." The U. S. government has made the matter the subject of investigation.

SPORTING NOTES.

Lawn Tennis Championship—Baseball News—Hamm and Peterson.

The final game in the lawn tennis tournament for the challenge cup and the championship of British Columbia was played yesterday afternoon between J. T. Williams, of Vancouver, and H. Hancock, of this city. The former was the winner of the Open Singles in the present tournament and the latter the holder of the championship and cup for the past two years. After an exciting game the cup and championship were captured by Mr. Williams. His victory saved the cup for the club. Had it been won again by Mr. Hancock it would have become his property.

BASEBALL SCORE.

The manager of the Chicago League team has written to the manager of the Seattle Browns asking what inducements the latter can offer Anson's Colts to play in Seattle in November. At that time they will be *en route* to San Francisco to take the steamer for Australia where they propose to take a tour. With Portland's assistance it is thought inducements may be held out to them to come.

The Browns are to play the Willamettes this week and expect to close the season in Victoria or Kamloops next month.

AQUATIC.

From the following it will be seen that Hamm is still anxiously awaiting a reply from Peterson. Out of courtesy the Pacific Coast rower should certainly send a definite reply as to whether he intends to row or not.

SYLVAN BEACH, N. Y., Aug. 6, 1888.

To the Sporting Editor of the Chronicle:

DEAR SIR:—I have not heard from Peterson yet with reference to the proposed match. I wired the *Chronicle* for information, and as you were kind enough to answer I hope you will appraise me if anything new develops with regard to the affair.

I had arranged to $250 deposit, with a challenge to your paper, but on the advice of friends I concluded to wait until I found out if Peterson would row or not before doing so, as, in the event of his not accepting, I would have my trouble for nothing. Any communications forwarded to 30 Green street, Boston, Mass., will be forwarded to me. Much obliged for favors received. Yours truly,

ALBERT H. HAMM.

FOOT RACING.

Ed Newkirk wants to run Lon Myers half a mile for $500 a side.

W. G. George and W. Cummings met on Saturday, July 14th, on the St. Mirren's Football Club grounds at Paisley, Scotland, to run an exhibition race of a mile. About 3000 spectators were present, and Cummings was the favorite. Cummings at once took a slight lead, but in the second round his leg seemed to bother him, and for a short distance he seemed rather lame. He persevered, however, and though George was leading in the fourth lap, and all hopes of Cummings' winning seemed dissipated, he came again in wonderful style, caught George in the straight, and, after a most sensational finish, breasted the tapes first by a couple of yards, amid the most enthusiastic plaudits of his supporters. Time, 4 minutes, 25 seconds.

Dohun, the Irish champion sprinter, recently did 220 yards in 22 3-5 seconds, lowering the Irish record 1-5 of a second.

Kamloops as a Health Resort.

The attractions of Kamloops as a health resort are becoming widely known and the number of visitors who travel this way for the benefit of pure mountain air is continually increasing.

The climate of Kamloops and the surrounding portion of the interior is particularly beneficial to all persons suffering from throat or lung diseases. The dry, warm and pure air of the country, with the sandy soil of the neighborhood, has proven of wonderful benefit to those who came here solely on account of health.

To visitors the town and district offers many advantages in cool and pleasant evenings during the warmest part of the year, when the heat is never so intense as at numerous other places in the same latitude. There are various local points of interest to the visitors and plenty of amusement, sport and recreation to be found on the Thompson rivers, among the grand scenery of the mountains, or sailing over the beautiful lakes throughout the district.—*Sentinel.*

WATER WORKS ACCOUNTS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—The reason assigned by Messrs. Wilson Bros. for the acceptance of their two four-inch water valves, is scarcely as it might be. A contract exists between the Albion Iron Works and the Corporation, whereby the former supplied the latter with four-inch water valves (tested under hydraulic pressure of 200 pounds to the square inch) for $22 each. Messrs. Wilson Bros. charge for their two four-inch water valves $42 each (or over 90 per cent more), and to stand no test whatever. The reason, I think, is very apparent why I decline to receive or pay for the valves under the circumstances. The Mayor and Board of Aldermen can very easily receive and pay for any articles ordered by any officer of the Corporation, and to my mind such is the proper course to pursue in the matter. And I may say that until a resolution of the Board of Aldermen authorizes the acceptance of the valves at the price charged for them, I cannot in justice to myself accept the responsibility of such a transaction. Thanking you for kindly giving both sides of the question an opportunity of being known, by inserting the above reply, you also confer a great favor upon

PETER SUMMERFIELD,
Water Commissioner.

Victoria, 21th August, 1888.

Suits to Order $18.00
Pants „ „ „ 4.00
Vests „ „ „ 3.50

At RUSSELL, McDONALD & Co's, opposite the Iron Church, Douglas Street. dw

PERSONAL.

Items Telling of the Movements of Well Known Persons.

J H Innis, of the naval yard, is at Vancouver.

Mayor Grant left for Vancouver this morning.

P R Miller, of Winnipeg, is stoping at the Clarence.

G K Leeson and M S Dillabough, Calgary, are at the Clarence.

A R Johnson and Thos Lewis, Nanaimo, are at the Oriental.

Jas Punch and Thos Kerr, Westminster, are at the Oriental.

Archbishop Gross says he enjoyed his visit of two weeks over here to the utmost.

Mr Adam Innis, who has been ill for several weeks, will leave for Kamloops in a day or two to recuperate.

W G Hall, President of the Northern Pacific Express company, and wife are in the city spending a few days.

J A Brown, buyer for J J O'Brien, of San Francisco, will arrive from Europe on Tuesday. He will leave for San Francisco on Tuesday with his wife and family.

George Steitz, of Messrs. Steitz Bros., entertained a number of friends last evening at his residence, Fisgard street. Amongst those present were members of the German Leiderkranz. A pleasant evening was passed.

T A Cairns, our obliging deputy postmaster, will leave for Winnipeg and Perth, Ont., to-morrow night, and will be absent for about a month. His place in the P. O., will be filled by Mr. Rooney, of the C. P. R. mail car service.

CANADIAN NEWS.

Chapleau will participate in the Haldimand campaign.

C. B. Major, advocate of Hull, is appointed sheriff of Ottawa county.

The work of supplying lighthouses and surveying on Lake Superior has been concluded.

There will be a big Conservative picnic at Laprairie on September 5th. Federal ministers are invited.

Efforts are being made to induce the Northwest to send a rifle team to the D. R. A. matches at Ottawa.

Regina Rifle Association is making enquiries regarding the steps necessary to become affiliated with the Dominion Rifle Association.

The postoffice department is advised that the C. P. R. is constructing new postal cars of the latest design for service been Montreal and Vancouver.

A life saving crew at Port Rowan, Lake Erie, succeeded after great difficulty in rescuing the crews of the schooners Tibbets and Bay Trader, wrecked near that place last week. No lives were lost.

The collector of customs of the Magdalen islands, Gulf of St. Lawrence, is at Ottawa asking the Government to provide a cutter to enable him to enforce the provisions of the modus vivendi, as American fishermen are arriving in scores and object to buying bait. Fishing and sealing there is excellent.

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F. MACLURE,
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As foreshadowed in a previous note, the Blue Ribbon Temperance Club will resume public work at Temperance Hall, Pandora Avenue, on *WEDNESDAY NEXT*, 22nd August, on which occasion REV. J. E. STARR has consented to deliver an Address—Subject: 'Gospel Temperance.' As this is a topic imperfectly understood by many, all temperance people are urged to be present. Addresses to the Temperance reform movement gladly received during the evening. Entrance free; collection to meet expenses. Unhappily funds are low. Chair to be taken at 8 p. m., punctually.

GEO. A. HARRISON,
aug17 C. Secretary.